'TIS MIDNIGHT HOUR

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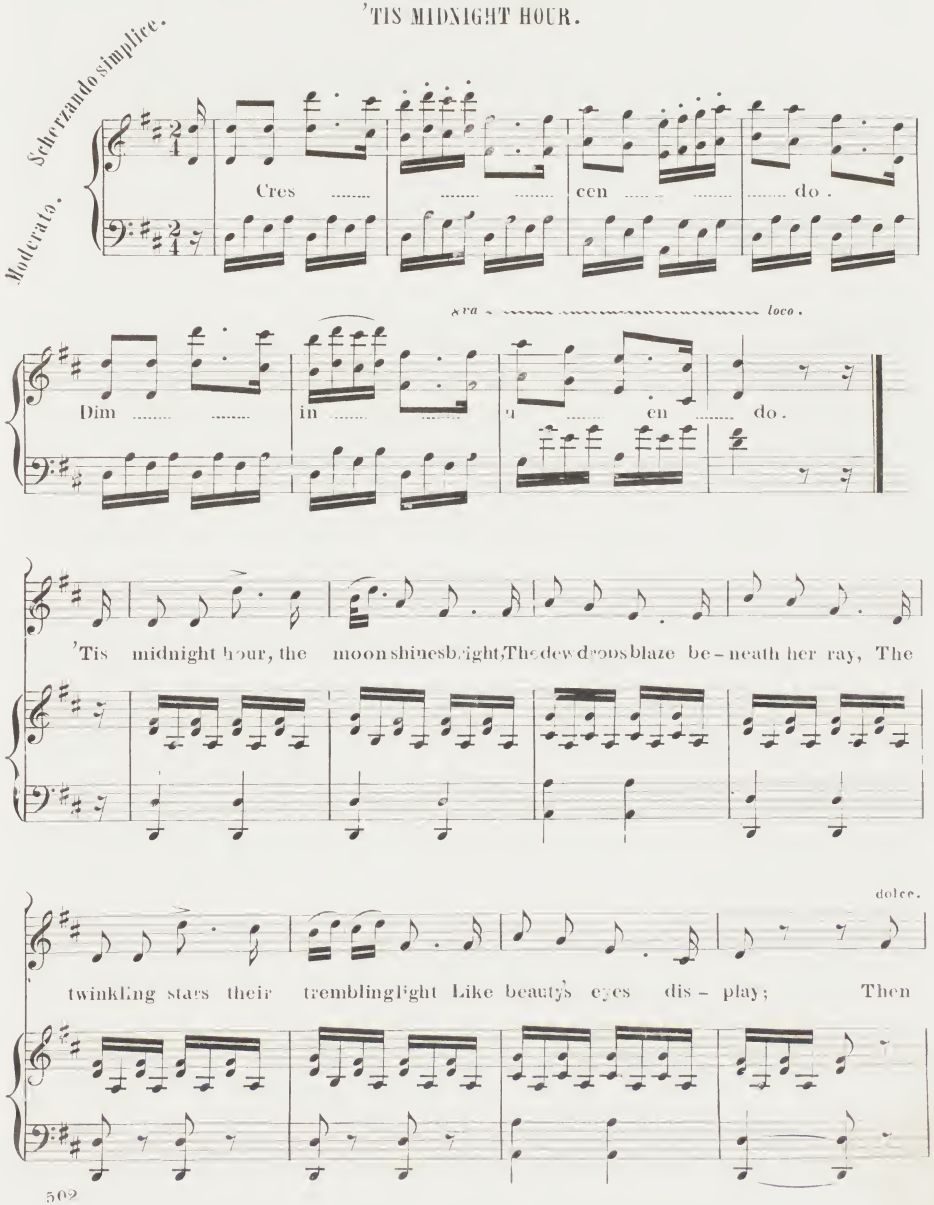
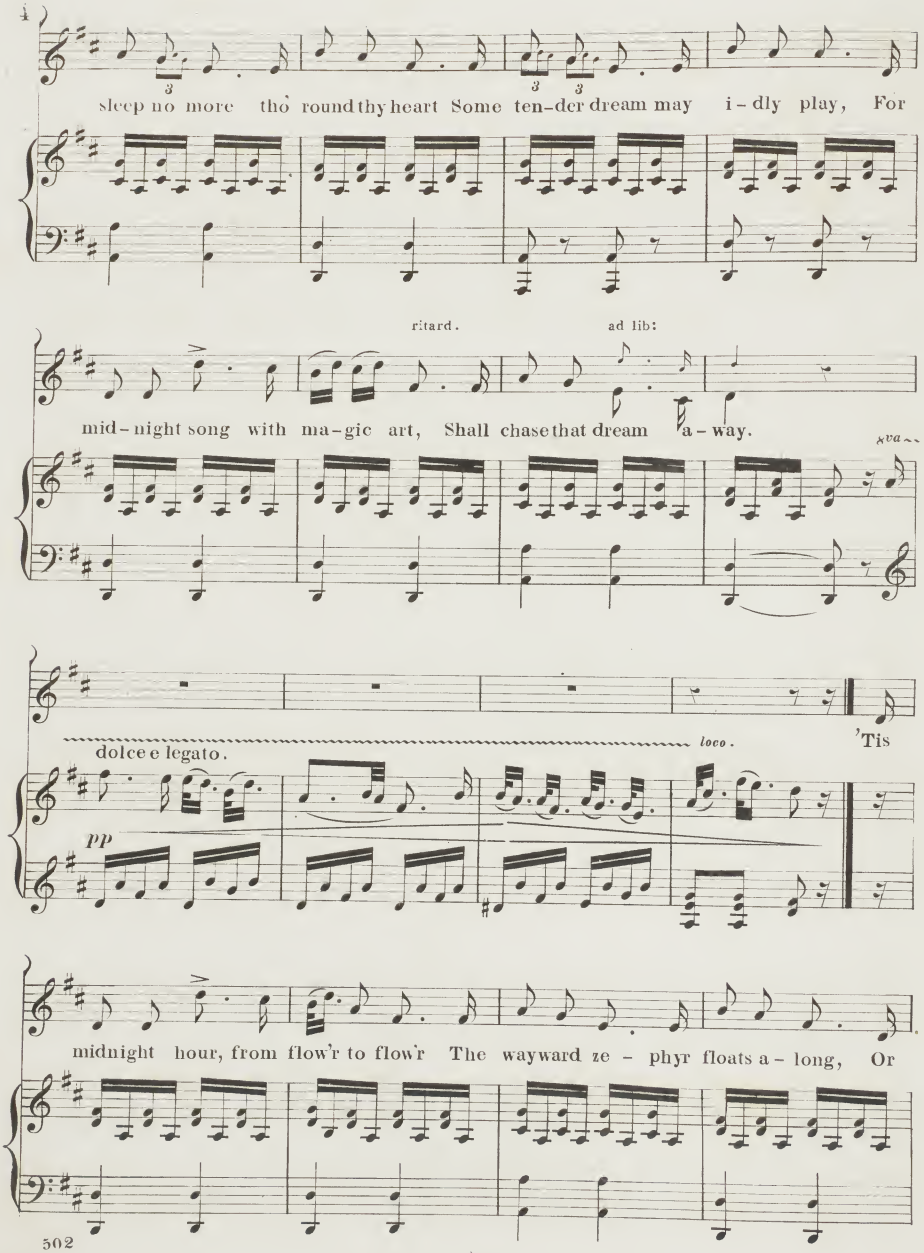

Moderato. Scherzando simplice.
Cres ..... cen ..... do.
Dim ..... in ..... u ..... en ..... do.
'Tis midnight hour, the moon shines bright, The dew drops blaze be-neath her ray, The
twinkling stars their trembling light Like beauty's eyes dis-play; Then


sleep no more tho' round thy heart Some ten-der dream may i-dly play, For
ritard.
ad lib:
mid-night song with ma-gic art, Shall chase that dream a-way.
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dolce e legato.
loco.
'Tis
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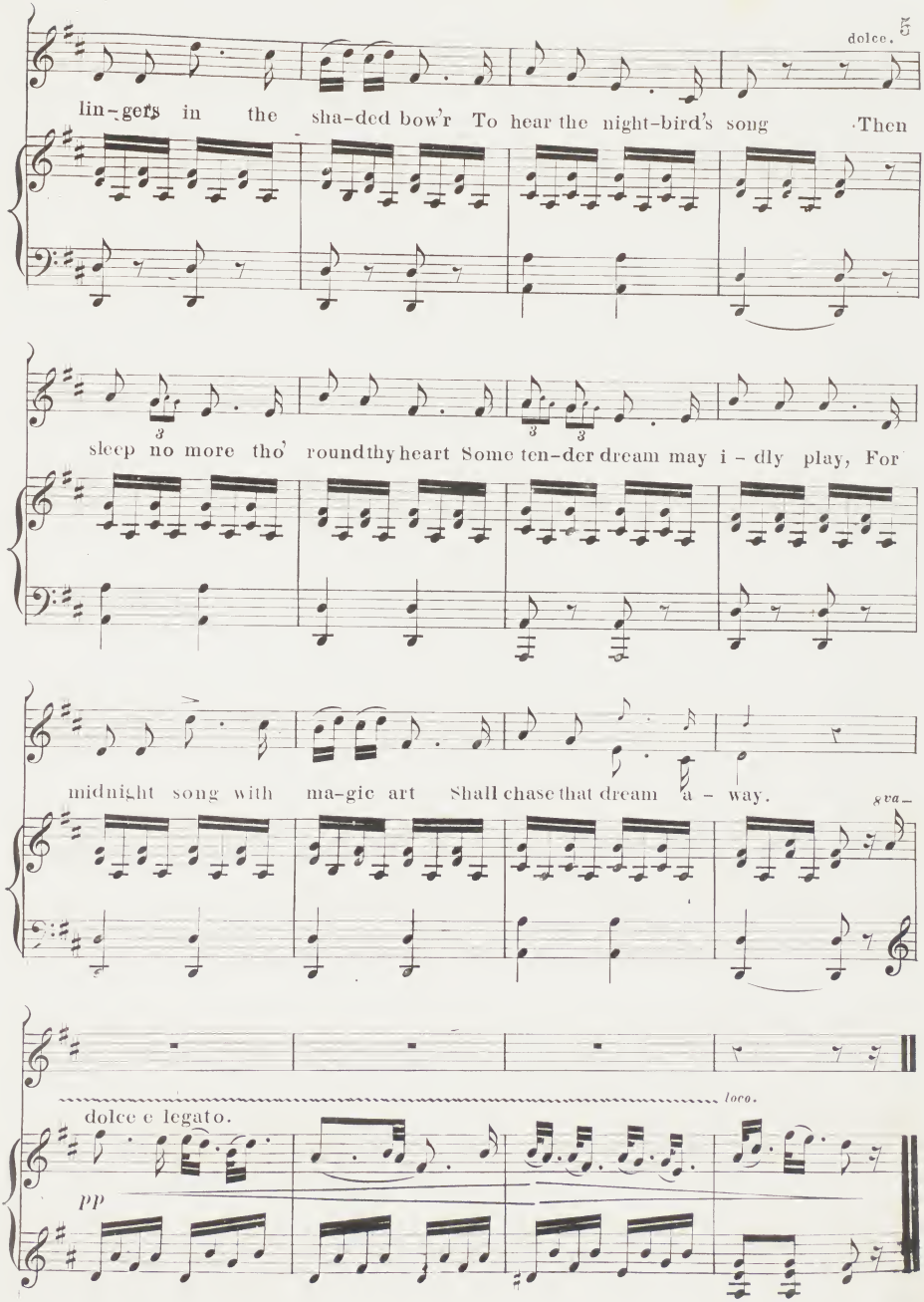
midnight hour, from flow'r to flow'r The wayward ze-phyr floats a-long, Or


dolce.
lin-gers in the sha-ded bow'r To hear the night-bird's song Then
sleep no more tho' roundthy heart Some ten-der dream may i - dly play, For
midnight song with ma-gic art Shall chase that dream a - way.
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